ABRAXAS PETROLEUM CORP

Form 5

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HOUSTON, TXÂ 77002-6794

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

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Table I Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of ar Repeticially Owned

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Acquired (A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned at end	Indirect (I)	Ownership
				(A)	of Issuer's	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				or	Fiscal Year		
				Amount (D) Pri	ce (Instr. 3 and 4)		

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		re S		(Instr. 3 and 4)	Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share	
Directors Stock Option	\$ 0.68	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	09/15/2004	09/15/2003	Abraxas Petroleum Corporation Common Stock	75,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe			
GALT BARRY J							
1001 FANNIN STREET	λv	Â	Â	Â			
SUITE 1600	АЛ	A	A	A			
HOUSTON, TX 77002-6794							

Signatures

Barry J. Galt 02/10/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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